

# U3: Asymmetric Key Cryptography

Using a private key (not shared) and a public key (which is distributed) for encryption

## Maths

### Euler's Phi/Totient Function

- $\phi(1) = 0$
- $\phi(p) = p - 1$  for  $p \rightarrow$  Prime number
- $\phi(m \times n) = \phi(m) \times \phi(n)$  for  $m, n$  are relative primes
- $\phi(p^e) = p^e - p^{e-1}$  for  $p \rightarrow$  prime number

### Fermat's Little Theorem

#### Note

Only apply if  $p \rightarrow$  Prime number

1.  $a^{p-1} = 1 \pmod p$
2.  $a^p = a \pmod p$
3.  $a^{-1} \pmod p = a^{p-2} \pmod p$

### Euler's Theorem

1.  $a^{\phi(n)} = 1 \pmod n$
2.  $a^{k \times \phi(n) + 1} = a \pmod n$
3.  $a^{-1} \pmod n = a^{\phi(n)-1} \pmod n$

## Principles

### Authentication

- Can be implemented by using the keys (public and private) from the same key source
- For example: in the communication between A and B if A's private key is used for encryption and A's public key is used for decryption by B, A is the authenticated sender

### Confidentiality

- Using double encryption and decryption:
  - Encrypt using the private key of A and public key of B
  - Decrypt using the private key of B and public key of A

## RSA

### Key Generation

1. Select 2 **relatively prime** numbers  $(p, q)$
2.  $n = p * q$
3.  $\phi(n) = (p - 1)(q - 1)$
4. Choose value of **e** such that  $1 < e < \phi(n)$  and  $\gcd(e, \phi(n)) = 1$
5.  $d = e^{-1} \bmod \phi(n)$

### Private Key

$$\{e, n\}$$

### Public Key

$$\{d, n\}$$

### Encryption

$$c = m^e \bmod n$$

### Decryption

$$m = c^d \bmod n$$

### Potential Attacks

- Factorisation
- Chosen Cipher Text - Intercept and masking plaintext
- Encryption Exponent - When the encryption exponent is set too low (Recommended: Prime numbers around  $2^{16} + 1$ )
  - Coppersmith
    - For  $C = M^e \bmod N$
    - If  $M < N^{\frac{1}{e}}$ , M can be directly recovered by taking **e**th root of C
  - Broadcast
    - If Alice sends the same message with same exponent to 3 different recipients, attacker (Eve) can use chinese remainder theorem to decrypt the message
  - Related messages (Franklin Reiter)

- If 2 messages (P1 and P2) were encrypted with same `e`, and if P1 is related to P2 in by a *linear function*, Eve can decrypt the corresponding C1 and C2 in feasible computation time
- Short pad (Coppersmith)
  - Alice pads with r1, encrypts and sends message to Bob
  - Eve intercepts and drops message (C1)
  - Bob requests message again and Alice sends again with padding of r2
  - Eve intercepts again (C2)
  - Eve knows C1 and C2 has same plaintext
  - If r1 and r2 are short, Eve can recover original plaintext
- Decryption Exponent - Revealed and low exponent
- Plaintext
  - Short message
    - Short messages can be easily decrypted by brute force
    - Use padding (in the start or end of message) using `OAEP` to prevent this
  - Cyclic
  - Unconcealed
- Modulus - Common modulus
- Implementation
  - Timing and power (Paul Kocher)
    - Blinding and Random Delays can help with this

## Diffie Hellman Key Exchange Algorithm

### Procedure

1. Consider a prime number  $q$
2. Select  $\alpha$  such that  $\alpha < q$  and  $\alpha$  is *primitive root* of  $q$
3. Assume  $X_A$  (Private key of A) and  $X_A < q$ . Calculate  $Y_A = \alpha^{X_A} \bmod q$  (Public Key of A)
4. Repeat previous step for B
5. Calculate secret keys
  - $K_A = (Y_B)^{X_A} \bmod q$
  - $K_B = (Y_A)^{X_B} \bmod q$
6. If  $K_A == K_B$ , key exchange successful

## Man in the middle attack

Insert a man in the middle of A and B (Eve) and carry out diffie hellman exchange with each A and B

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## El-Gamal

### Key Generation

1. Select prime number  $P$
2. Select private key  $d$
3. Select 2nd part of encryption key  $e_1$
4. Select 3rd part of encryption key  $e_2$ 
  - $e_2 = e_1^d \bmod P$
5. Public key =  $(e_1, e_2, P)$ , Private Key =  $d$

### Encryption

1. Select random integer  $r$
2. Calculate  $C_1 = e_1^r \bmod P$
3. Calculate  $C_2 = (M * e_2^r) \bmod P$
4. Cipher Text =  $(C_1, C_2)$

### Decryption

1.  $M = [C_2 * (C_1^D)^{-1}] \bmod P$

## Knapsack Algorithm

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Given:

- Sum ( $S$ )
- Weights ( $W$ ) - Superincreasing tuple

## Key Generation

Public Key (Hard Knapsack)

Private Key (Easy Knapsack)

## Key Distribution

### Methods

- Public Announcement
- Public Key Directory
- Public Key Authority
- Certificate Authority

## Digital Signature

A cryptosystem uses the private and public keys of the receiver: a digital signature uses the private and public keys of the sender

### Services

- Message Authentication
- Message Integrity
- Nonrepudiation

### Attacks Types

- Key Only Attack
- Known Message Attack
- Chosen Message Attack

### Forgery Types

- Existential Forgery
- Selective Forgery

## Algorithms

### RSA Digital Signature

- Signing
  - $S = M^d \bmod n$
- Verifying
  - $M' = S^e \bmod n$

- If  $M' == M$ , accept

## With Message Digest

- Signing
  - $D = h(M)$  (Digest)
  - $S = D^d \bmod n$
- Verifying
  - $D' = S^e \bmod n$
  - If  $D' == h(M)$ , accept

## ElGamal Digital Signature

- Public key -  $(e_1, e_2, p)$ , Private key -  $d$
- Signing
  - $S_1 = e_1^r \bmod p$
  - $S_2 = (M - dS_1)r^{-1} \bmod (p - 1)$
- Verifying
  - $V_1 = e_1^M \bmod p$
  - $V_2 = e_2^{S_1} S_1^{S_2} \bmod p$
  - If  $V_1 == V_2$ , accept

## Schnorr Digital Signature

- Public key -  $(e_1, e_2, p, q)$ , Private key -  $d$
- Signing
  - $S_1 = h(M \parallel e_1^r \bmod p)$
  - $S_2 = r + dS_1 \bmod q$
- Verifying
  - $V = h(M \parallel e_1^{S_1} e_2^{-S_2} \bmod p)$
  - If  $V == S_1$ , accept ( $S_1$  is congruent to  $V \bmod p$ )

## Digital Signature Standard

- Public key -  $(e_1, e_2, p, q)$ , Private key -  $d$
- Signing
  - $S_1 = (e_1^r \bmod p) \bmod q$
  - $S_2 = (h(M) + dS_1) r^{-1} \bmod q$
- Verifying
  - $V = (e_1^{h(M)S_2^{-1}} e_2^{S_1S_2^{-1}} \bmod p) \bmod q$
  - If  $V == S_1$ , accept ( $S_1$  is congruent to  $V \bmod p$ )
- Properties:

- Faster computation wrt RSA
- Smaller signatures wrt ElGamal

## Elliptic Curve Digital Signature

### Application

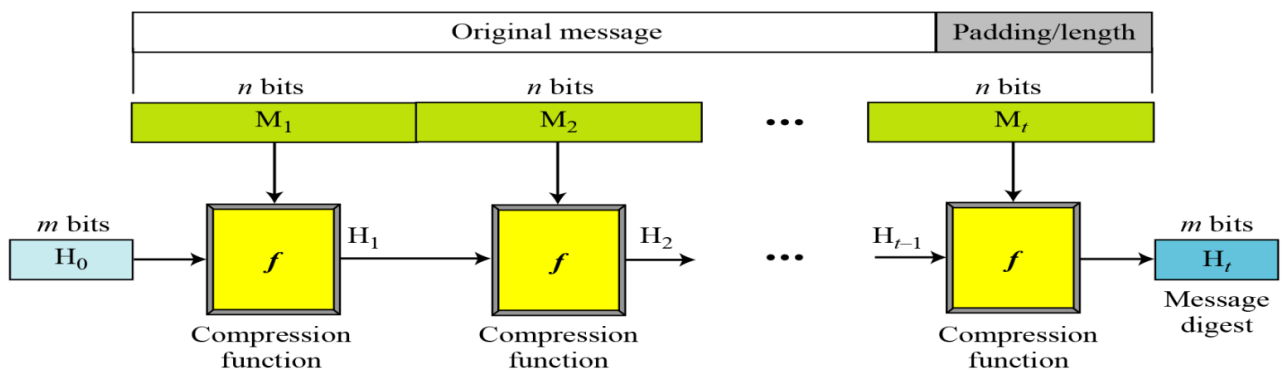
- Time Stamped Signatures
  - Time stamped to prevent replay of documents
- Blind Signatures (David Chaum)
  - Signing without knowing content of message
  - Procedure
    - Blinding the message from Bob:  $B = M \times b^e \bmod n$  ( $e$  -> Alice Public Key,  $b$  -> Blinding Factor)
    - Signing by Alice:  $S_{blind} = B^d \bmod n$
    - Unblind by Bob:  $S = S_b b^{-1} \bmod n$

## U4: Network Security Protocols

### Iterated Hash Function

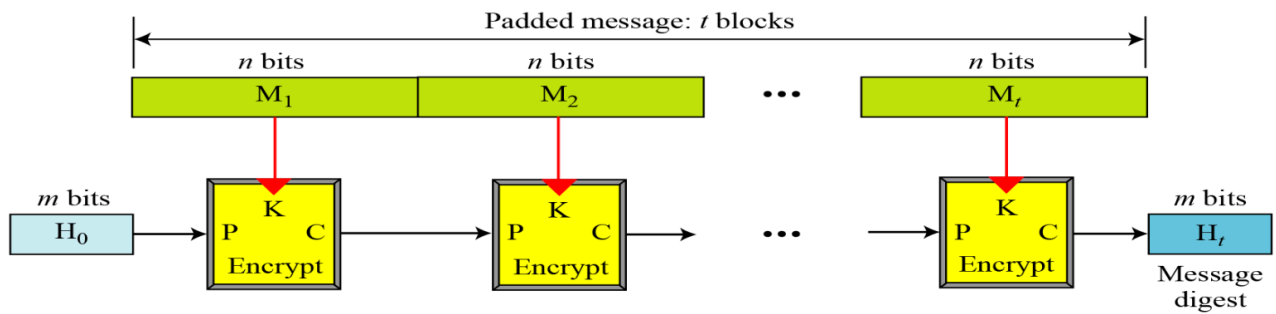
### Merkle Damgard Scheme

Multiple chained compression functions



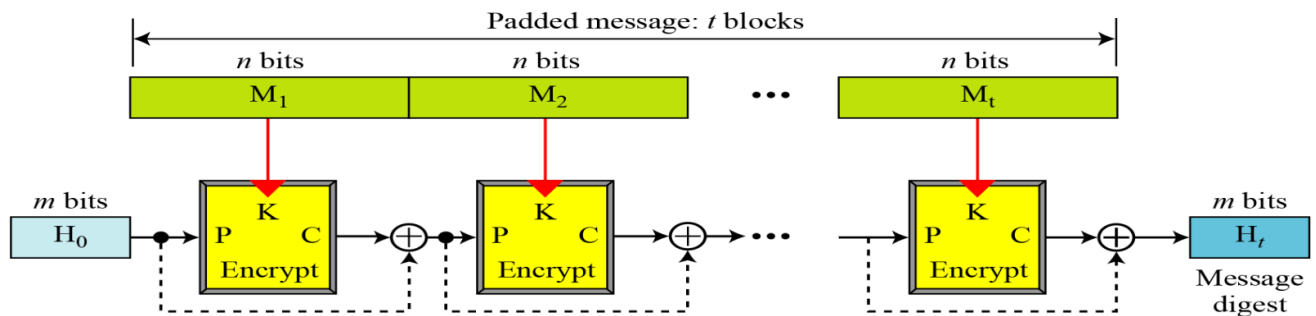
### Rabin Scheme

Each message block is used as K for each encrypt block



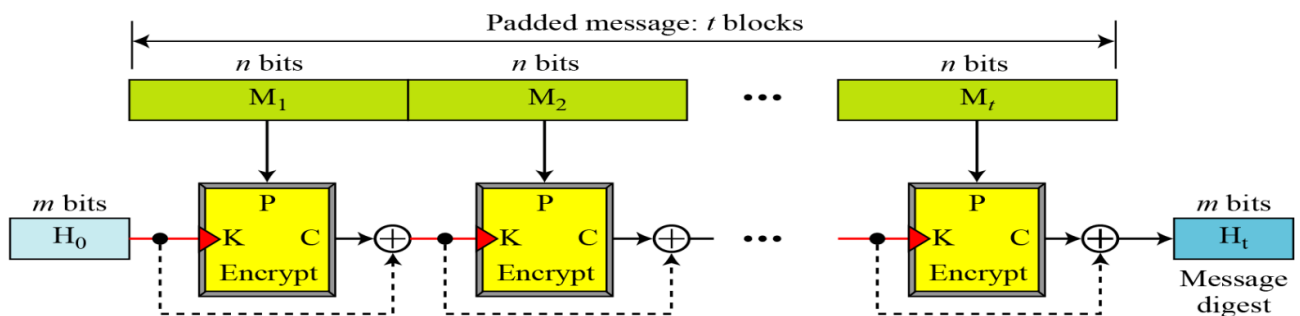
## Davies-Meyer Scheme

Output (Ciphertext) of each encrypt block is XORed with input plaintext



## Matyas-Meyer Oseas Scheme

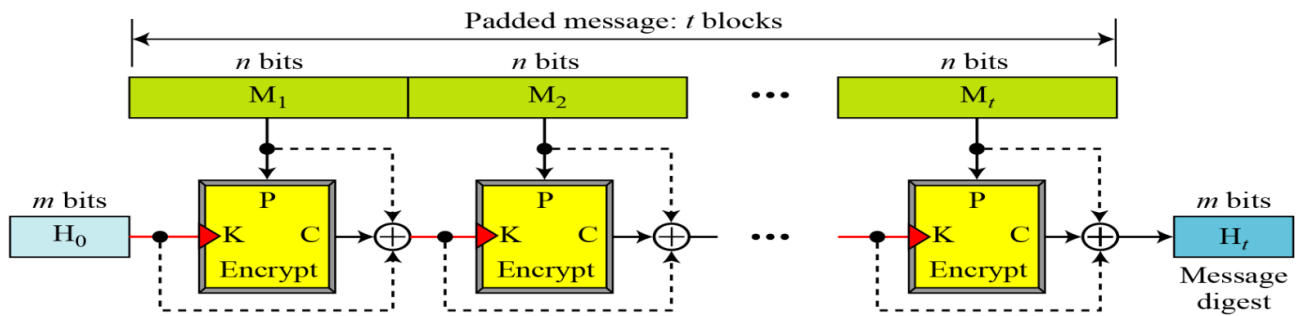
P and K are switched in each block. K is XORed with C



## Miyaguchi-Preneel Scheme



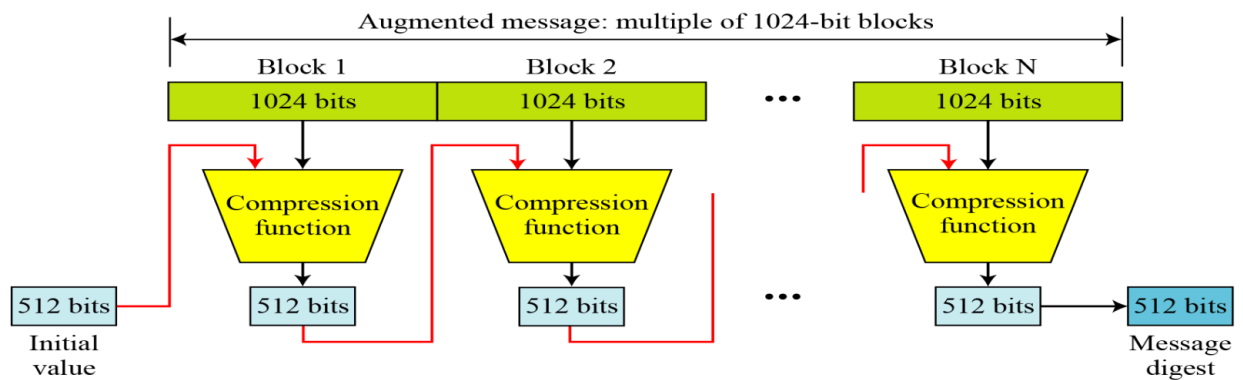
XOR is done with K and P to C



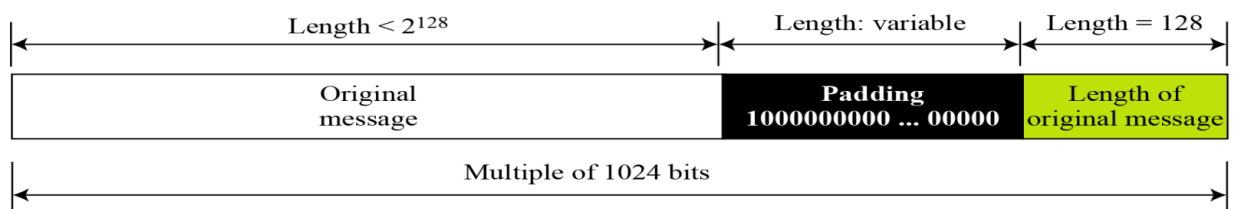
## Cryptographic Hash Functions

### SHA-512 (Secure Hash Algorithm)

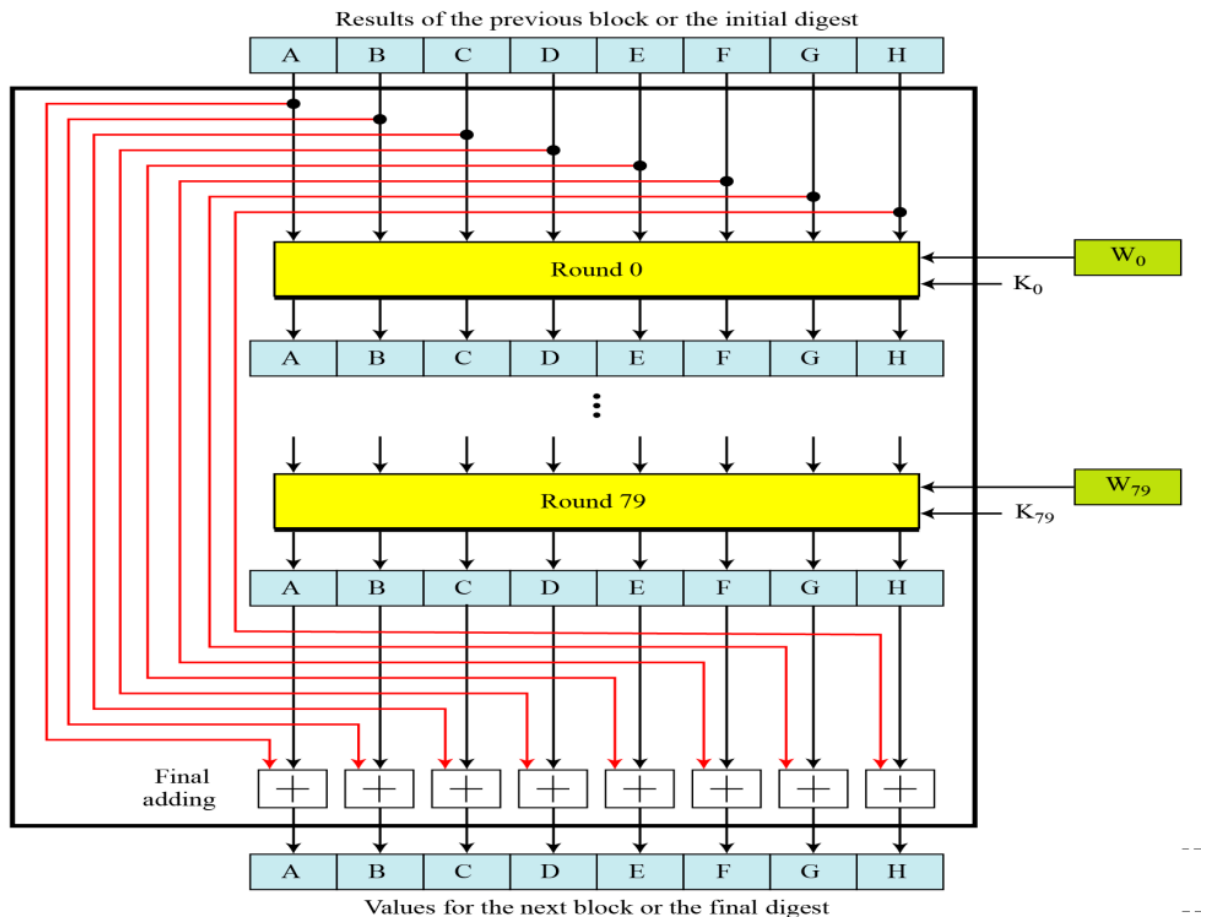
- Based on Merkle-Damgard Scheme
- Creates hash of 512 bits out messages less than  $2^{128}$
- Structure:



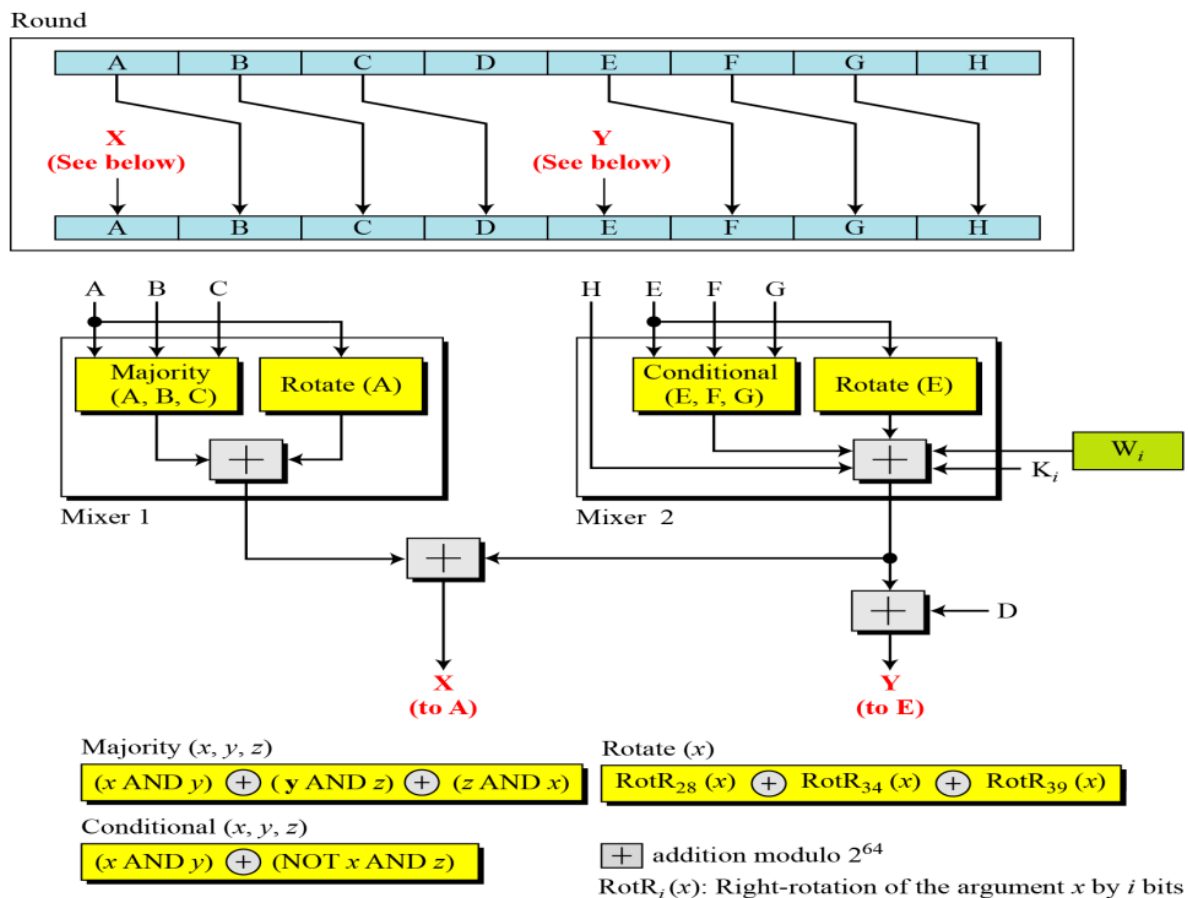
- Padding:



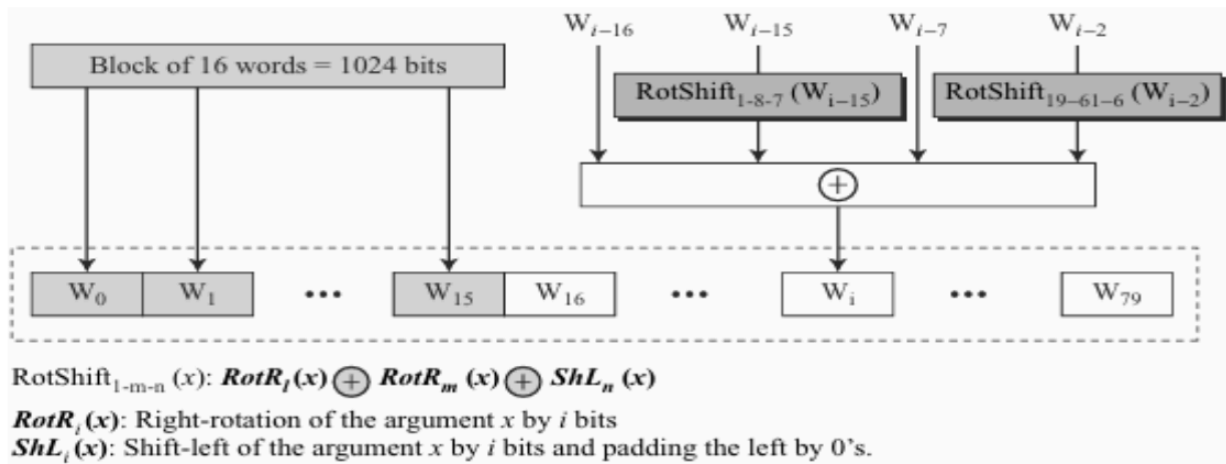
- Compression Function:



- Round Structure:

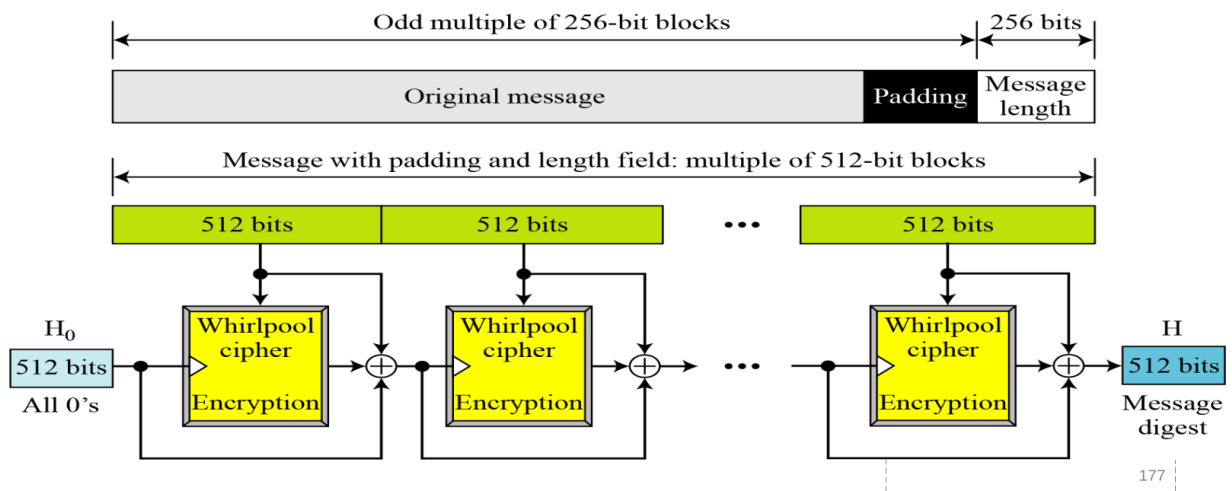


- Word Expansion:

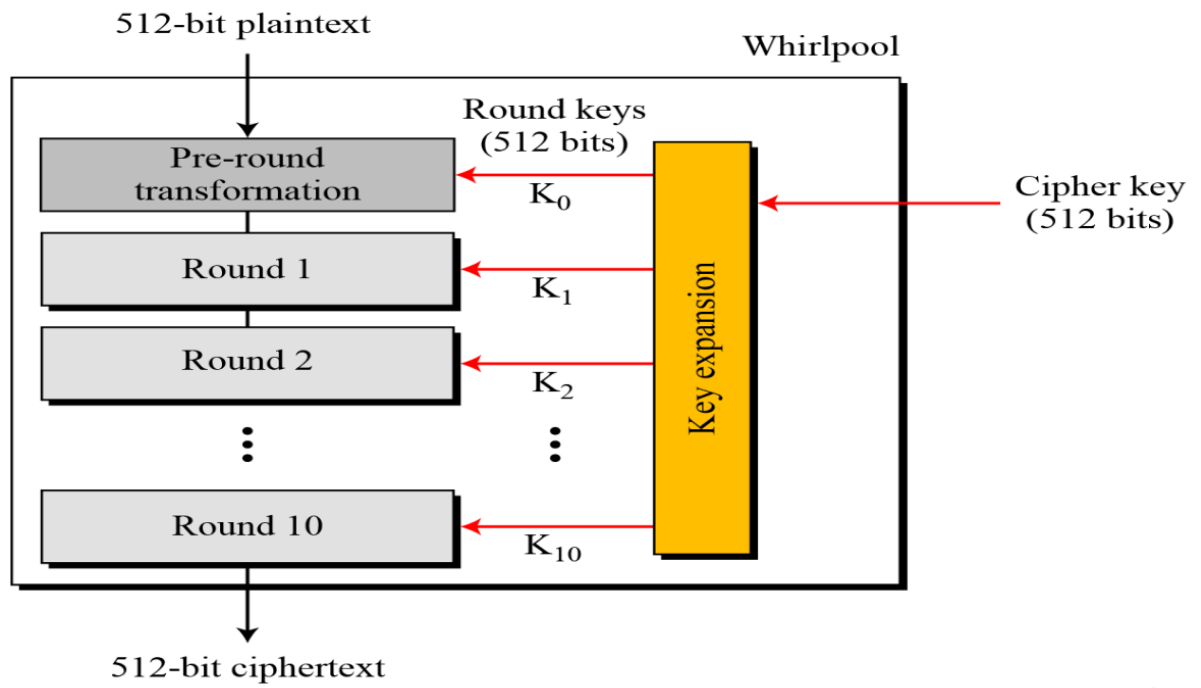


## Whirlpool

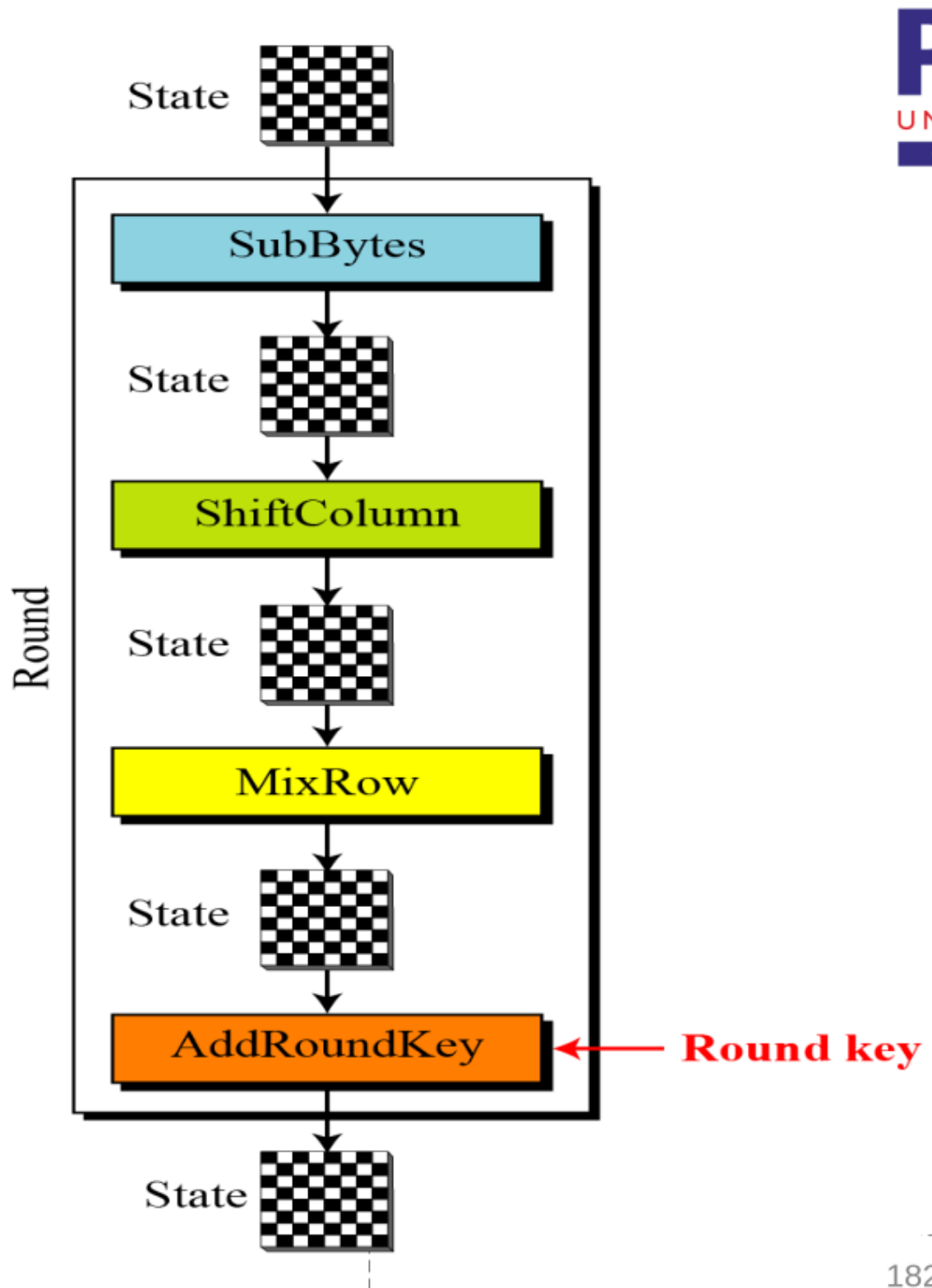
- Based on Miyaguchi-Preneel
- Modified AES cipher
- Hash function:



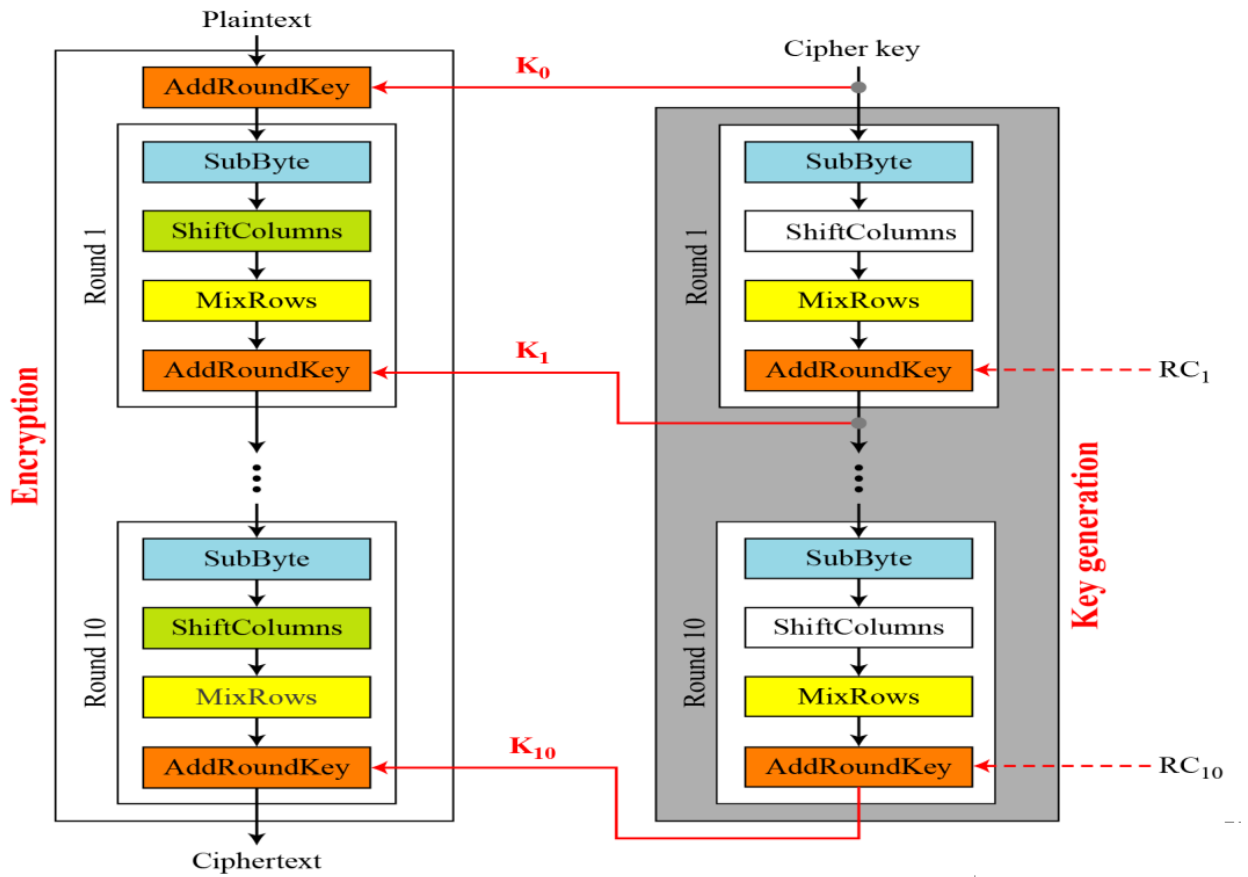
- Whirlpool cipher:



- Round structure:



- Key expansion:



- Round constants:
  - $RC_{round}[row, column] = SubBytes(8(round - 1) + column)$  if  $row = 0$
  - $RC_{round}[row, column] = 0$  if  $row \neq 0$
- Properties:

Block size: 512 bits
Cipher key size: 512 bits
Number of rounds: 10
Key expansion: using the cipher itself with round constants as round keys
Substitution: SubBytes transformation
Permutation: ShiftColumns transformation
Mixing: MixRows transformation
Round Constant: cubic roots of the first eighty prime numbers

## Entity Authentication

### Passwords

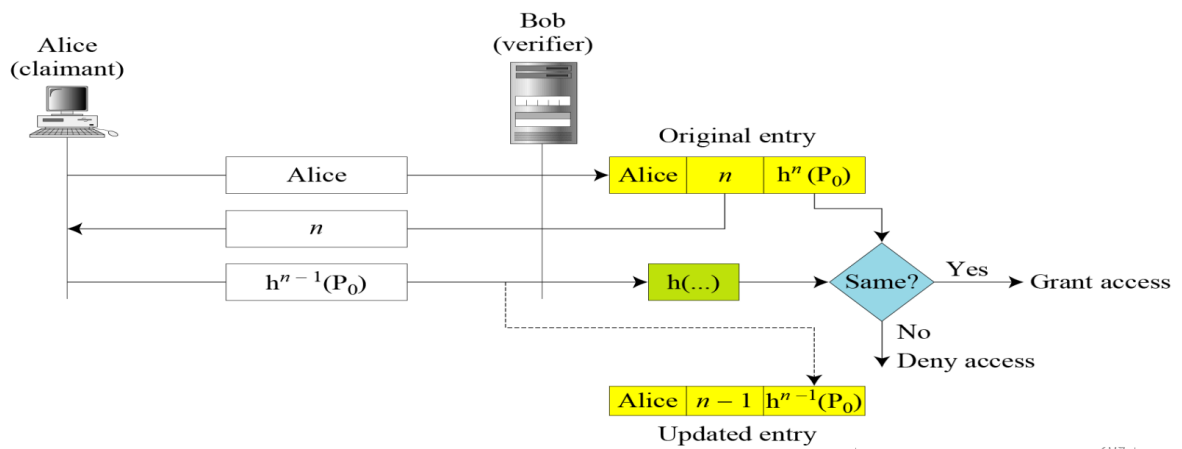
### Fixed Passwords Approaches

- User ID and Password File
  - Attacks:
    - Eavesdropping
    - Stealing

- Accessing Password file
- Guessing
- Hashing the Password
  - Attacks:
    - Dictionary Attack
- Salting the Password
- Combining Multiple Identification Techniques

## One Time Password

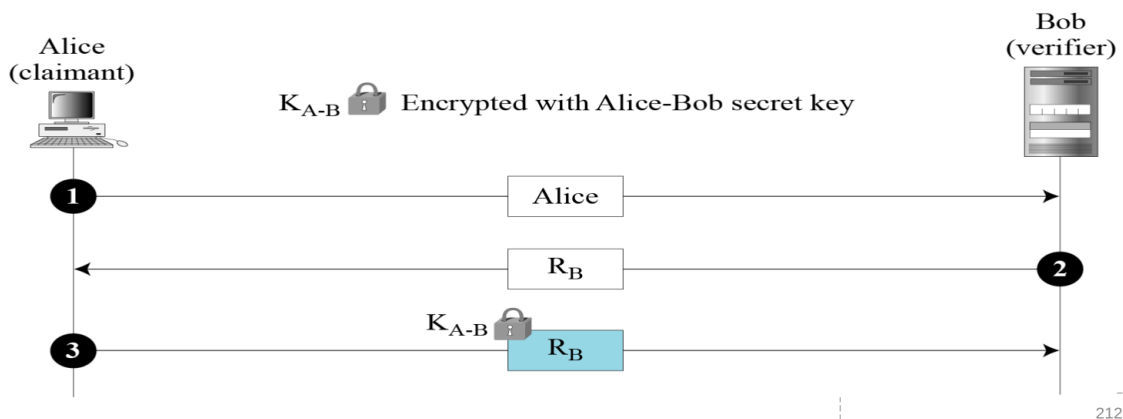
- Pre agreed list of passwords for user and system to use
- Sequential update of passwords
- Sequential update using hash function
  - Lamport OTP:



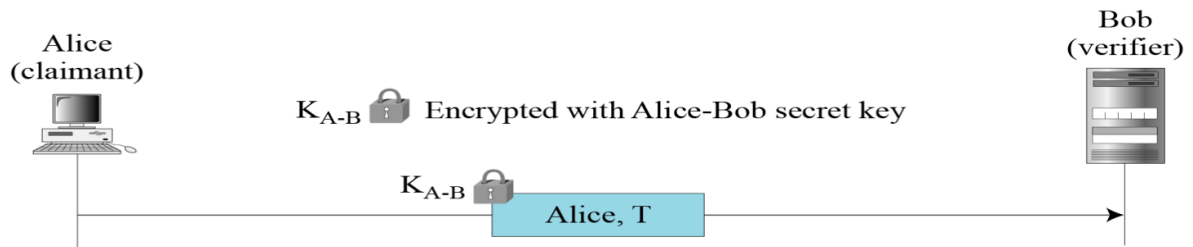
## Challenge Response

### Symmetric Key Cipher

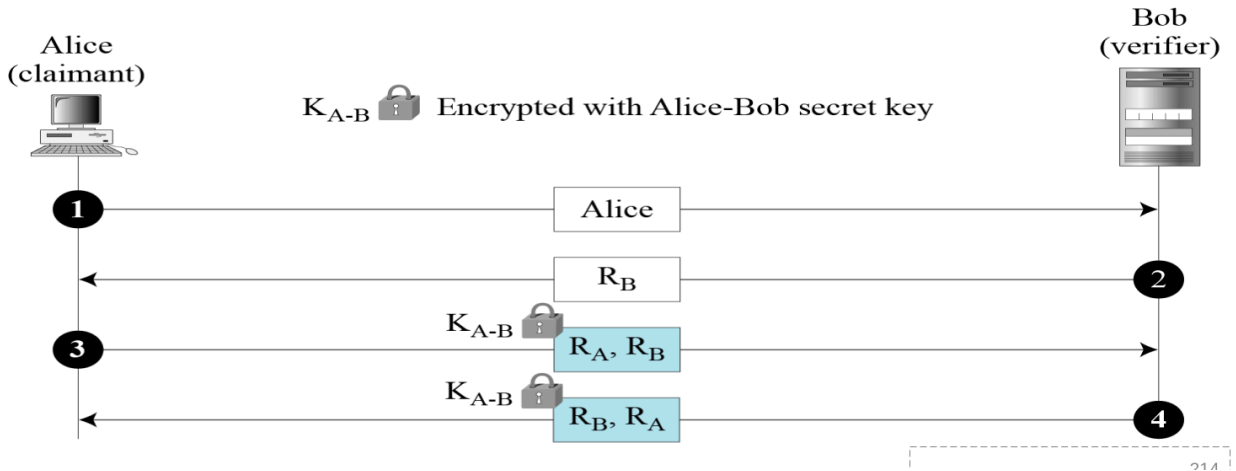
- Nonce challenge:



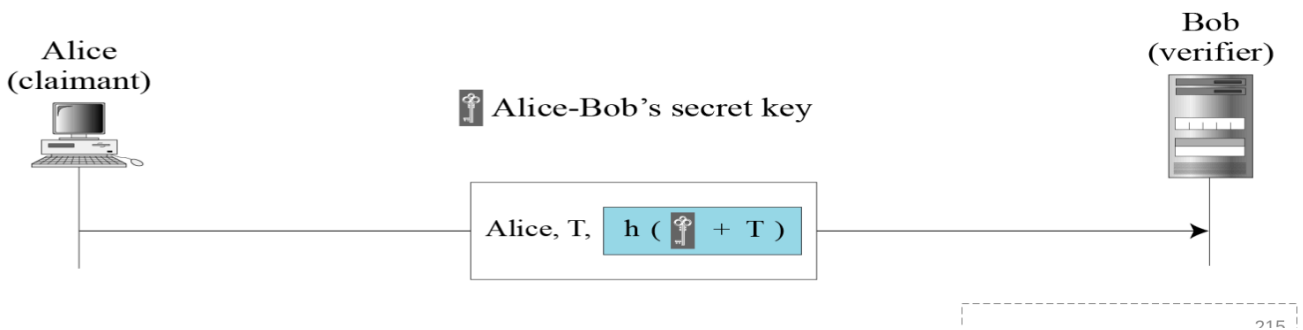
- Timestamp:



- Bidirectional Authentication:

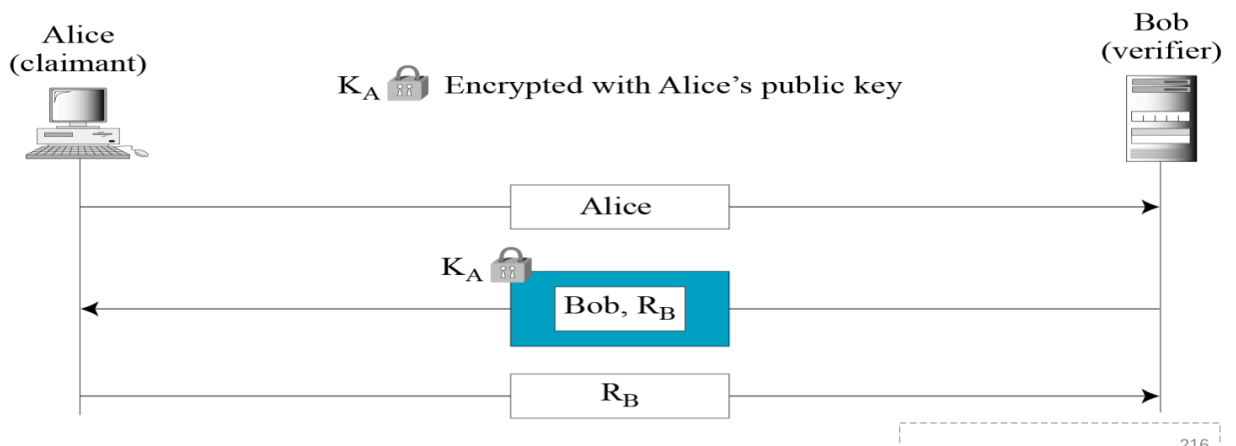


## Keyed Hash Functions



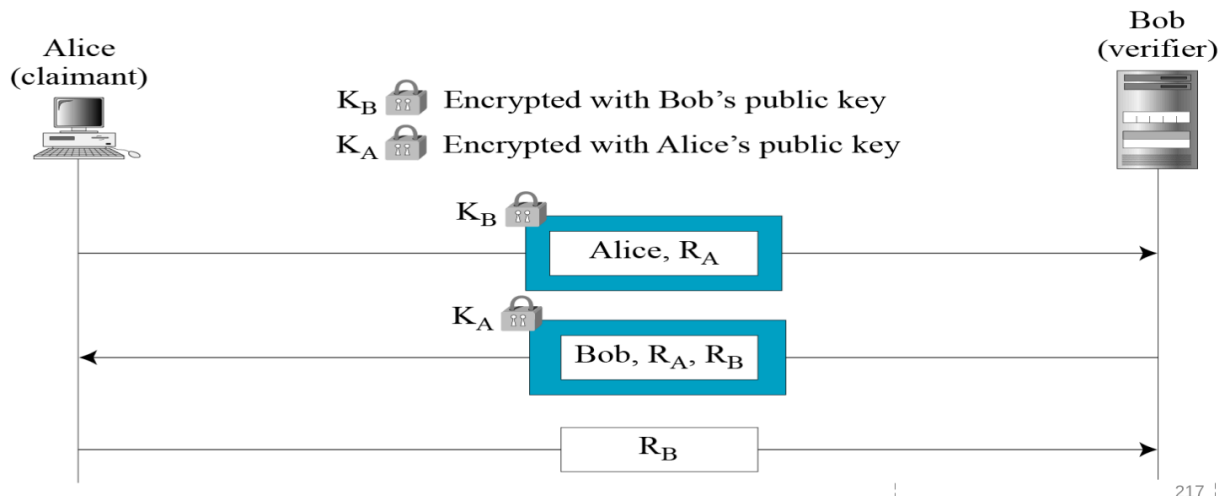
## Assymmetric Key Cipher

- Unidirectional, assymmetric key authentication:



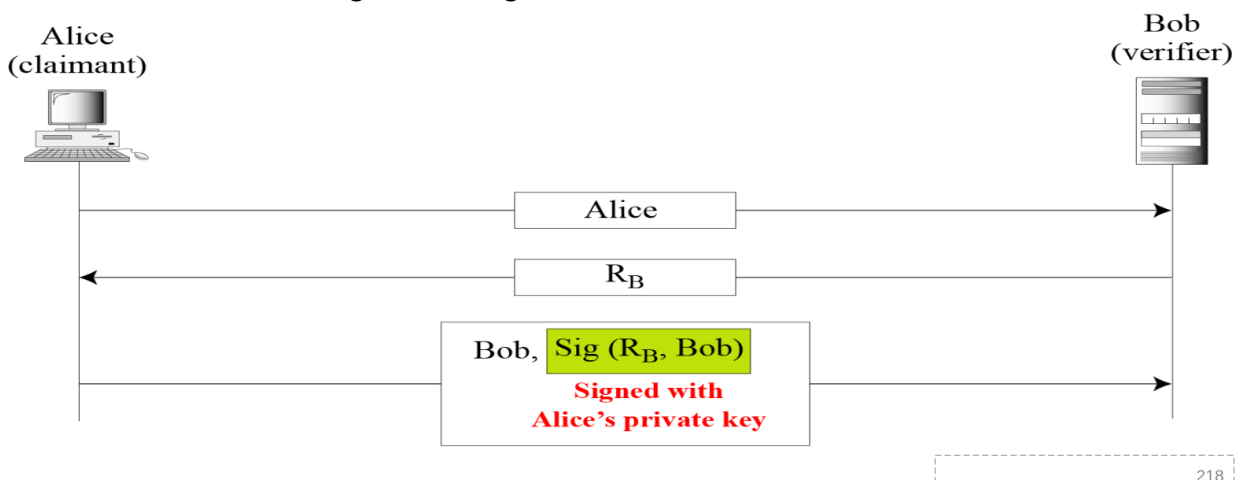


- Bidirectional, assymetric key authentication:

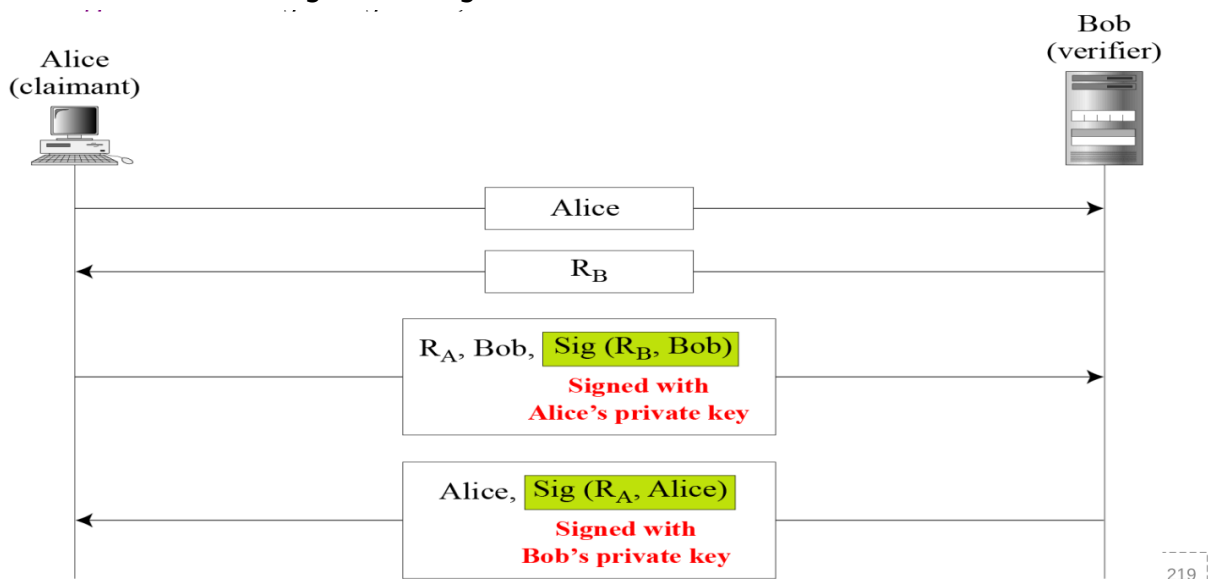


## Digital Signature

- Unidirectional, Digital Signature authentication:

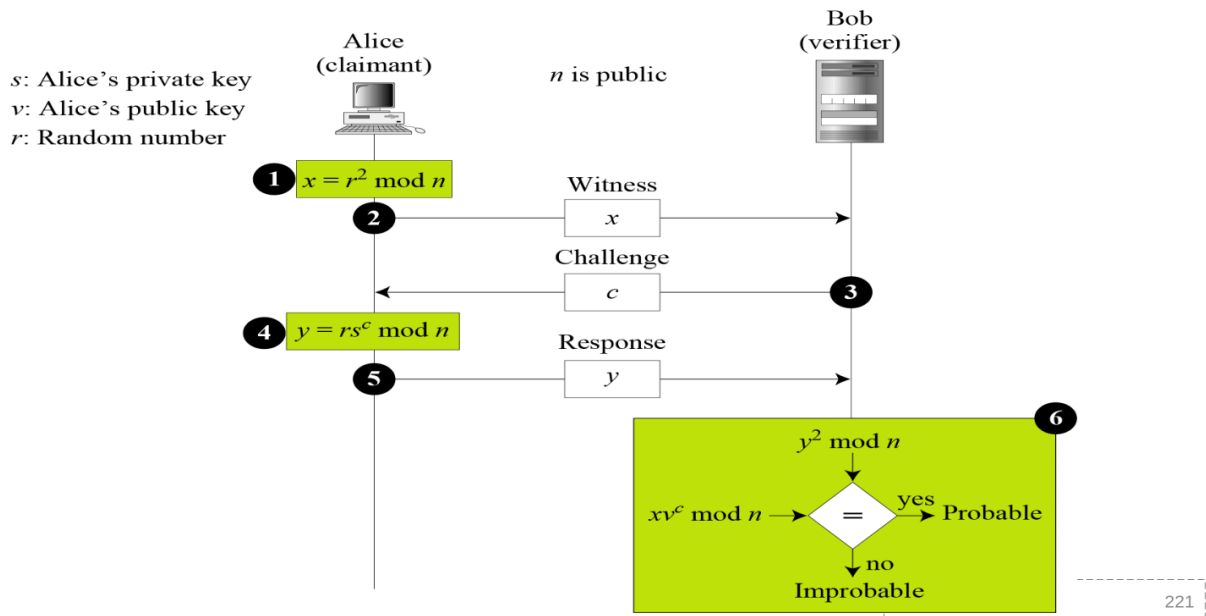


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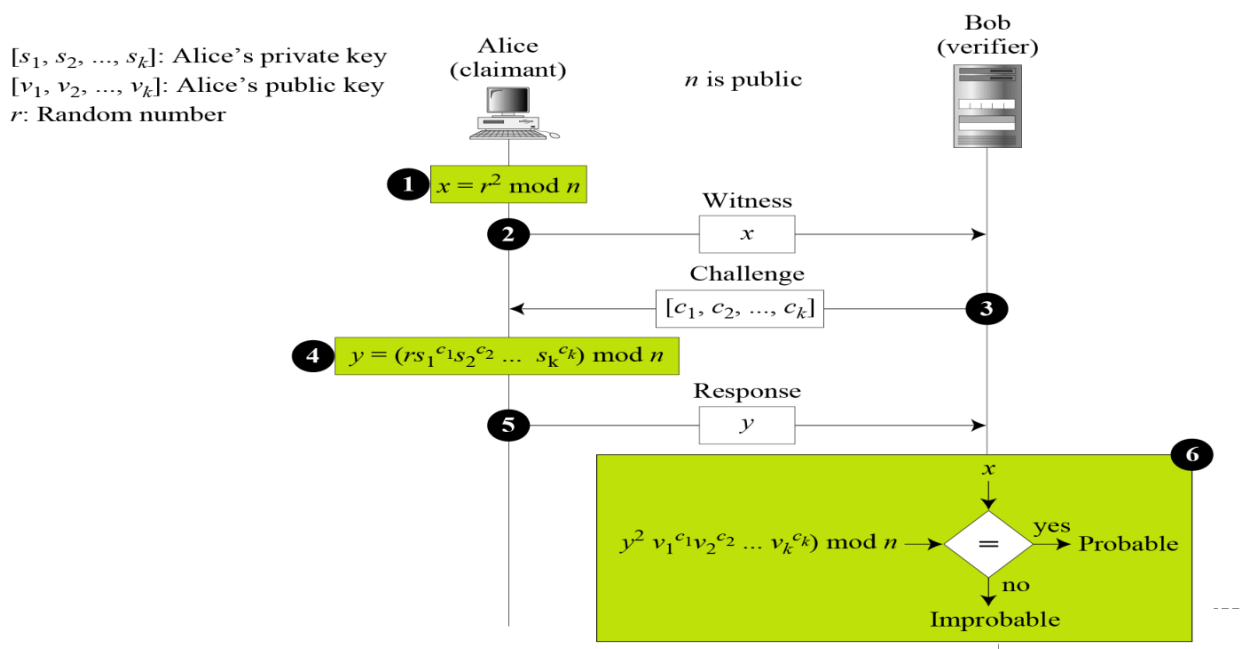


## Zero Knowledge

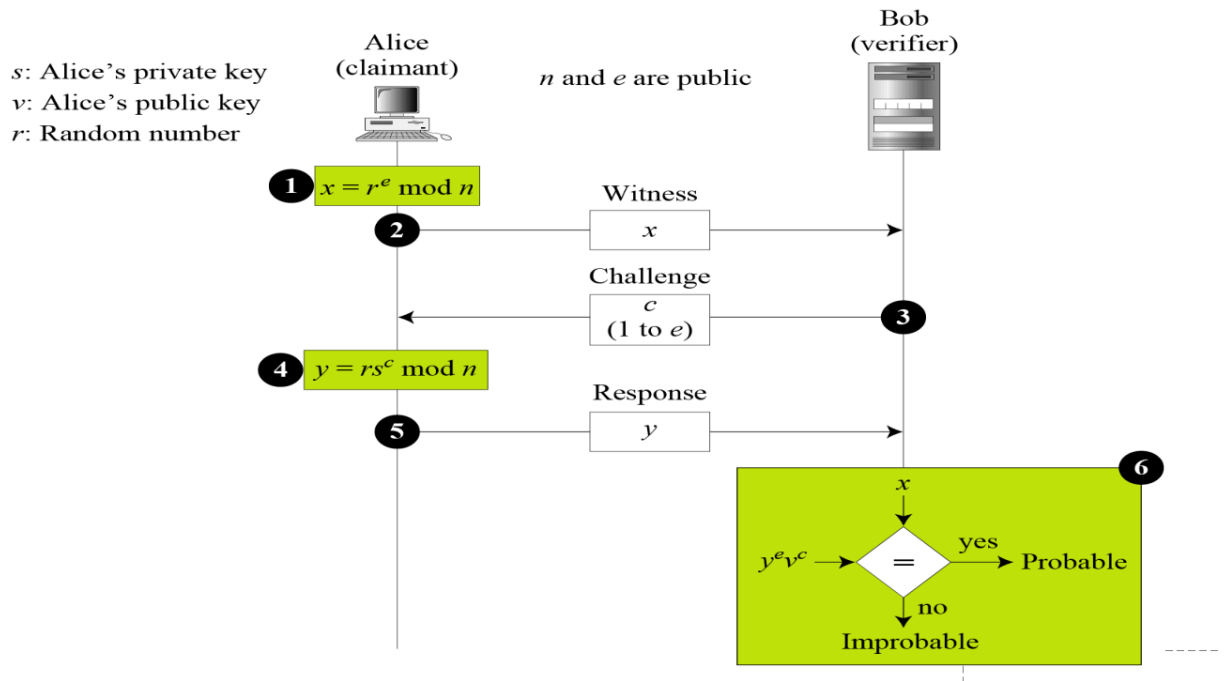
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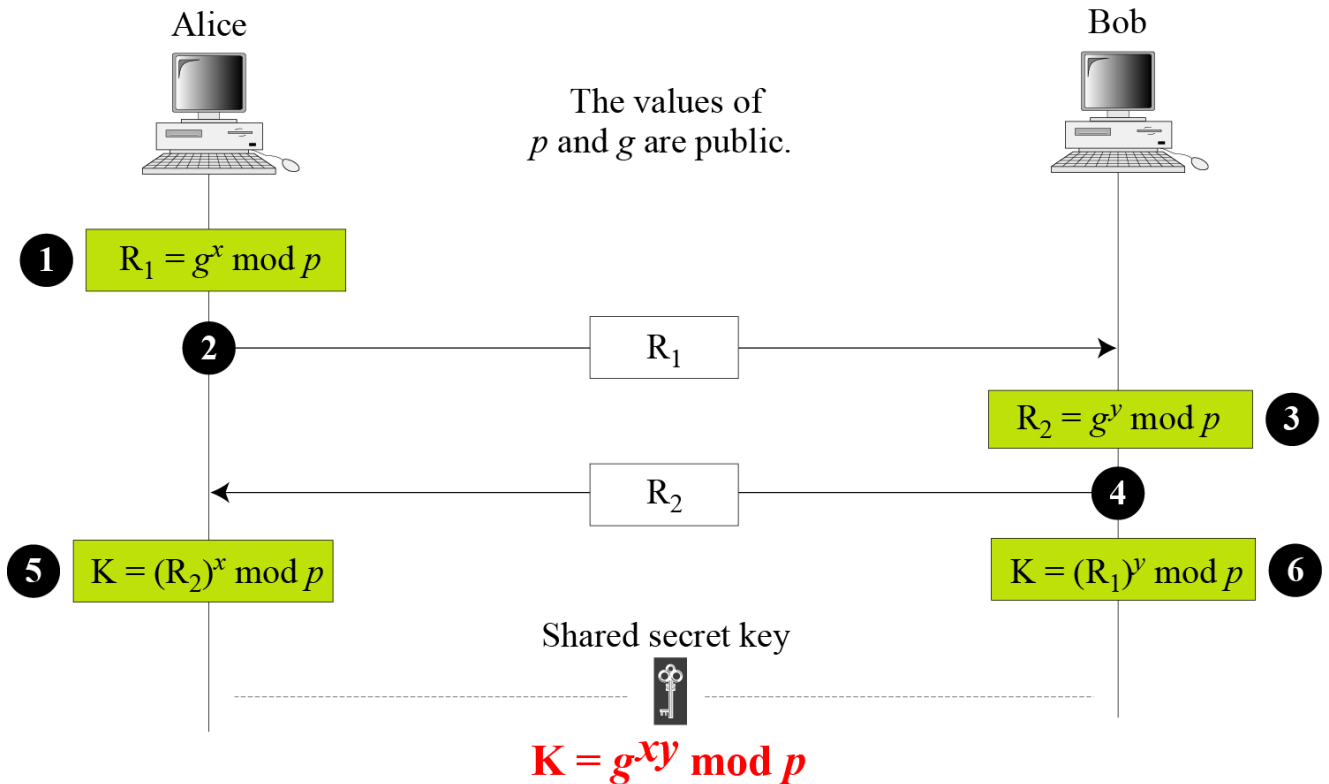
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## Symmetric Key Agreement

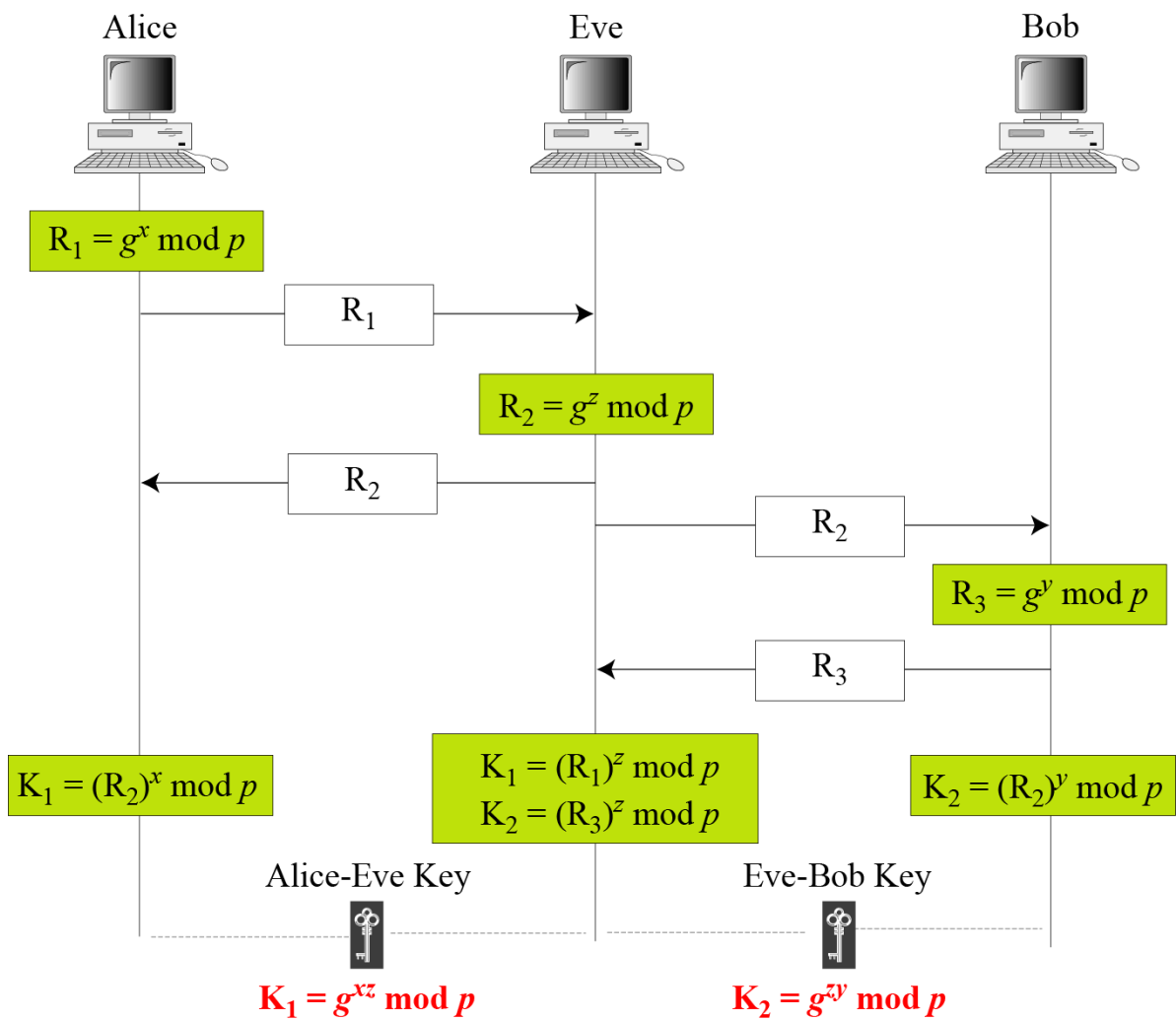
Creating session key without KDC

## Diffie Hellman

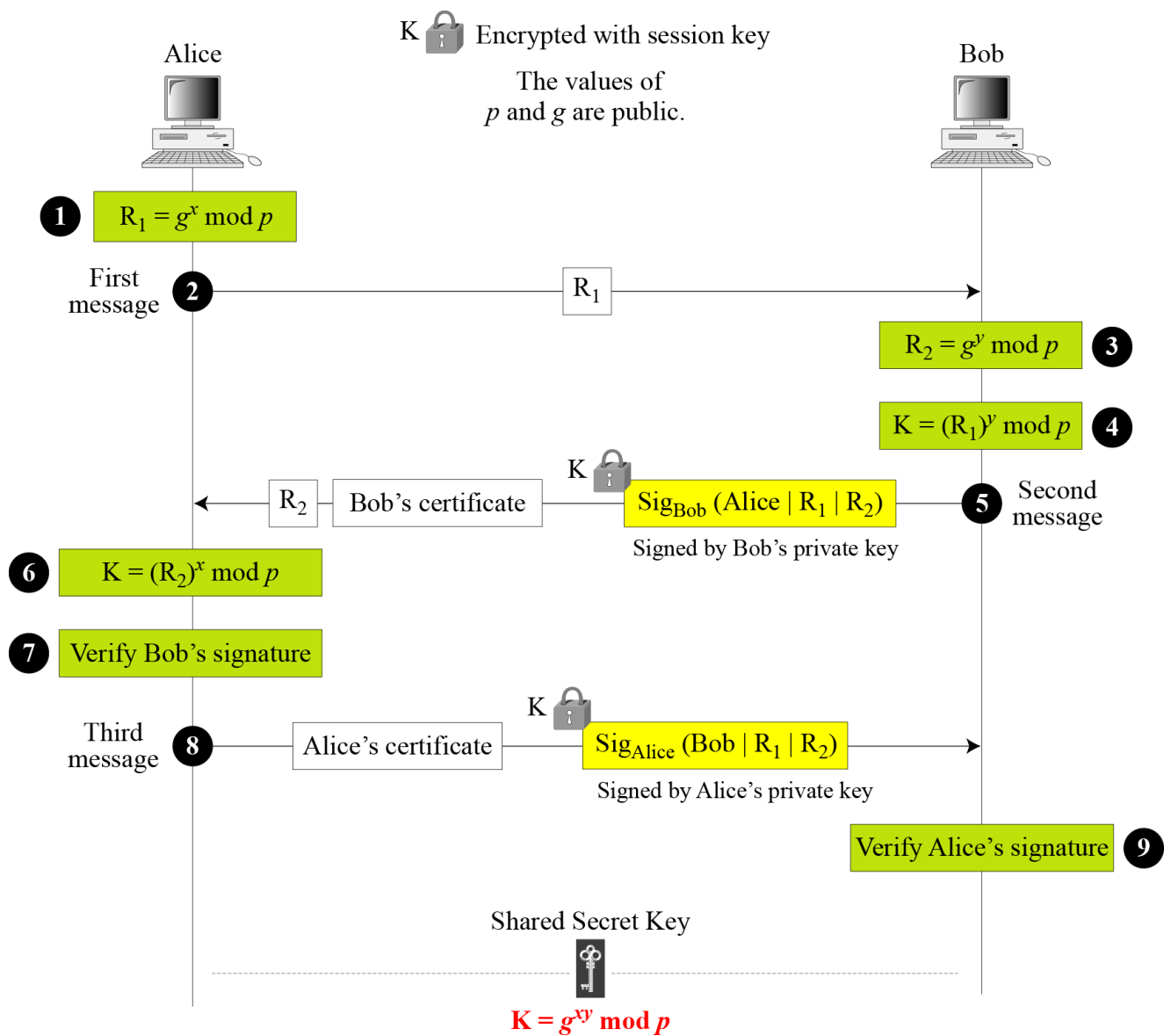


## Attacks

- Discrete Logarithm
- Man in the middle



Station to station





## KDC (Key Distribution Center)

### Types

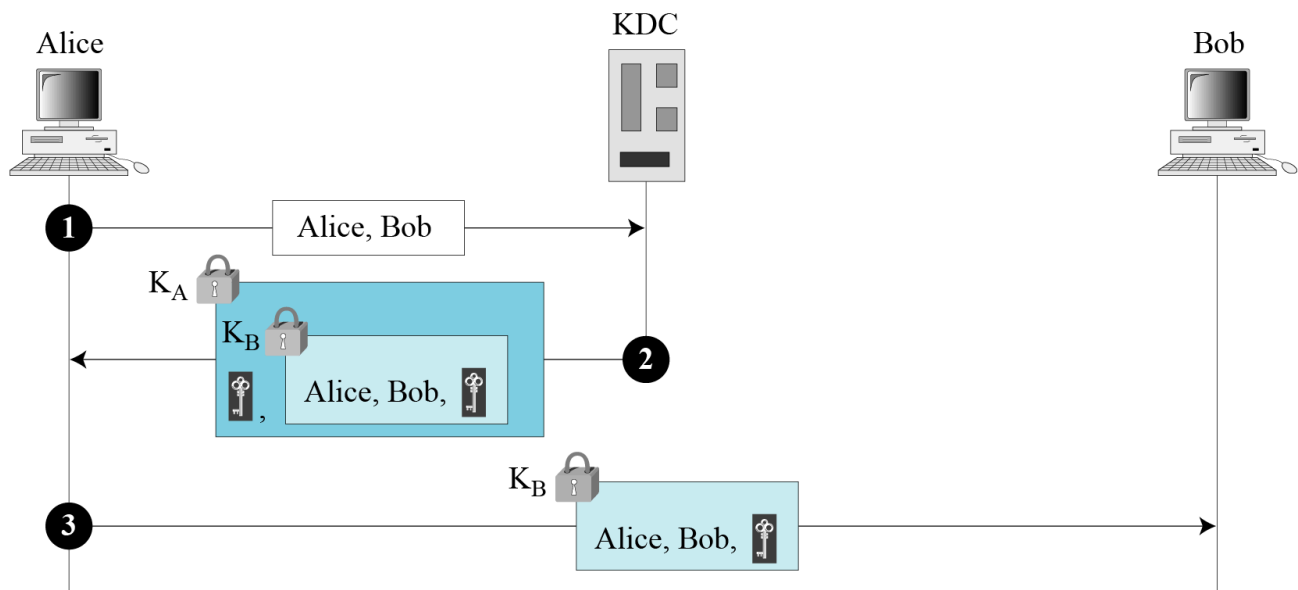
- Hierarchical
- Flat Multiple

### Protocol





#### Simple

$K_A$   Encrypted with Alice-KDC secret key       Session key between Alice and Bob

$K_B$   Encrypted with Bob-KDC secret key      KDC: Key-distribution center



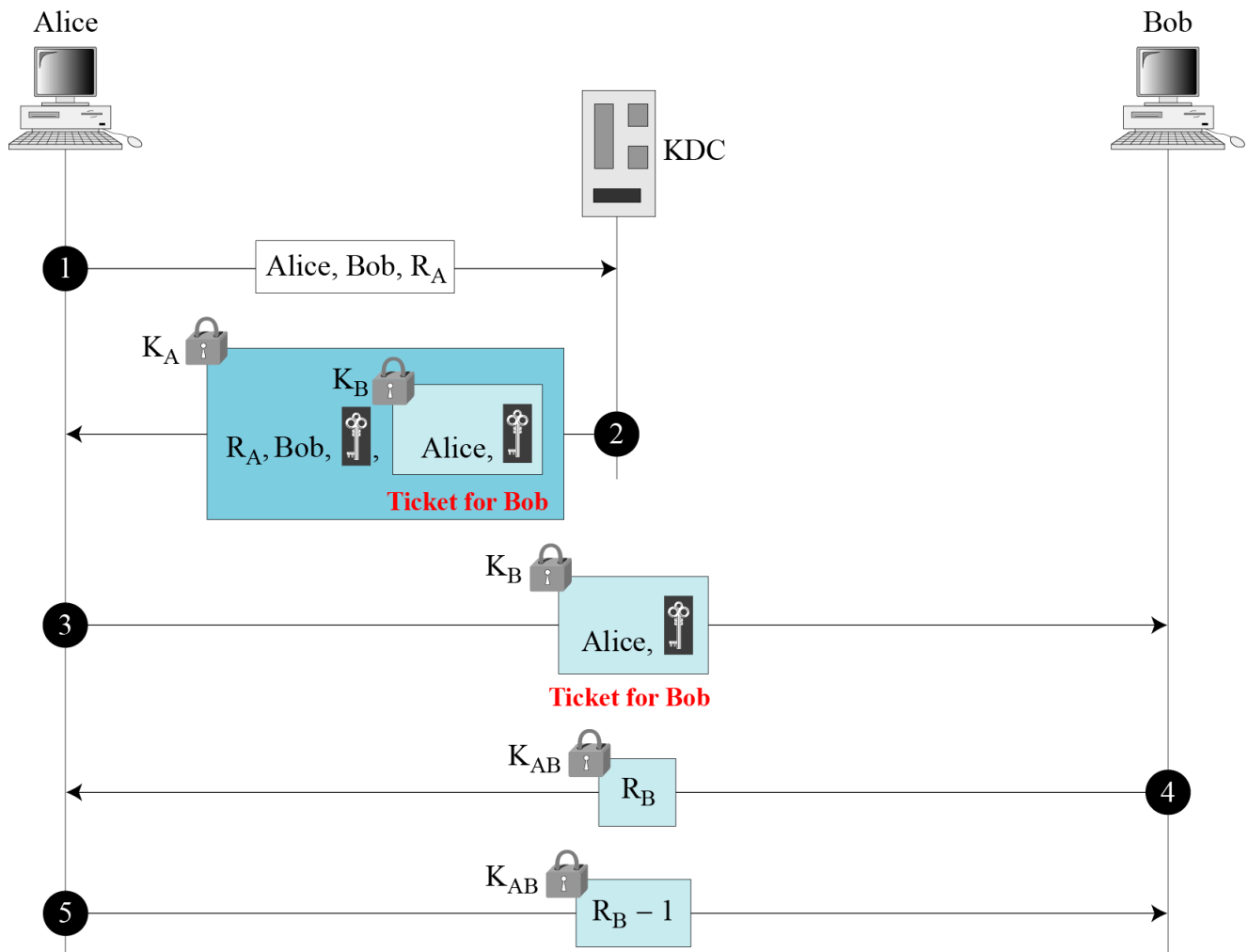
## Needham-Schroeder

$K_A$   Encrypted with Alice-KDC secret key  
 $K_B$   Encrypted with Bob-KDC secret key  
 $K_{AB}$   Encrypted with Alice-Bob session key  
 Session key between Alice and Bob





KDC: Key-distribution center

$R_A$ : Alice's nonce

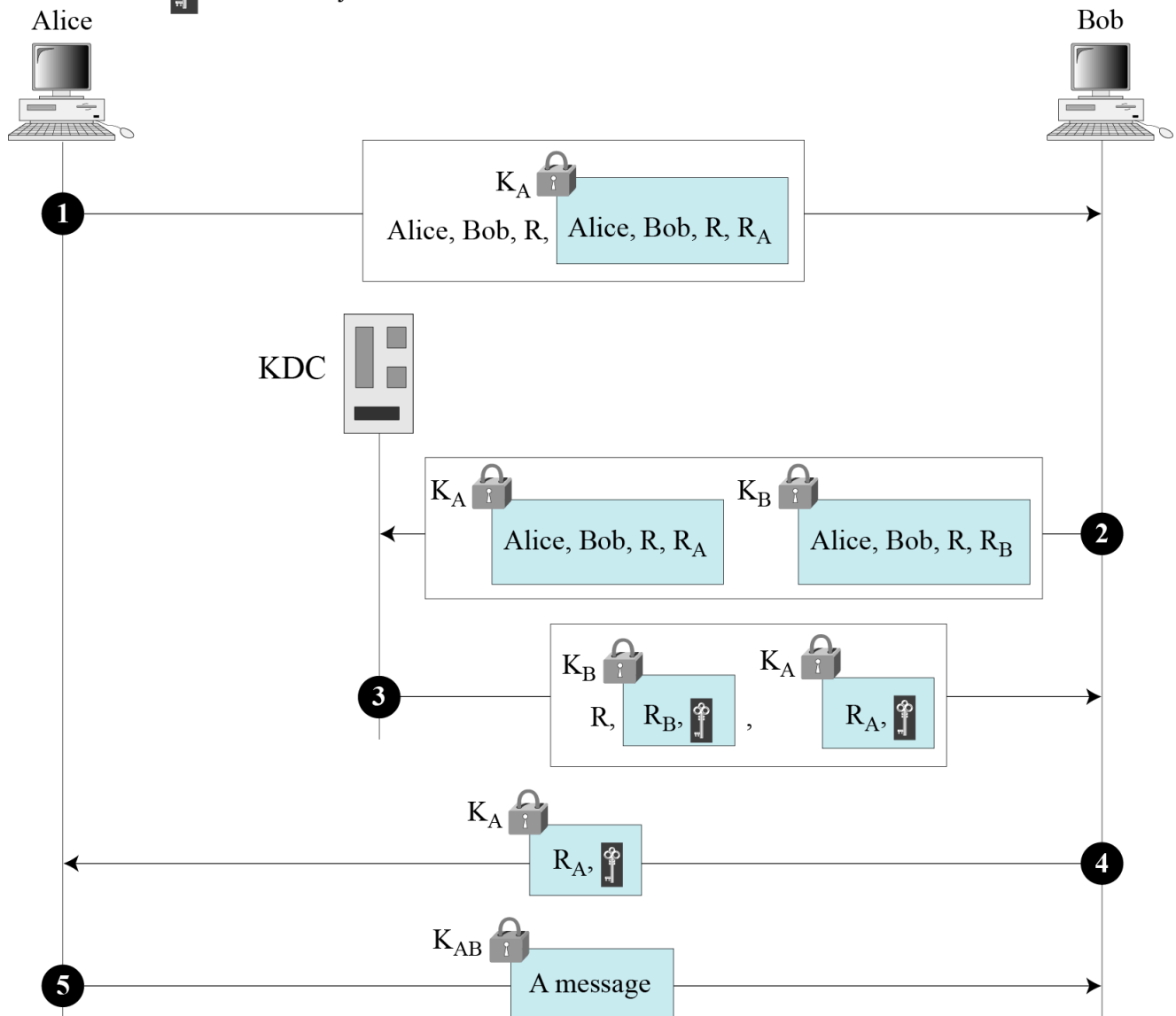
$R_B$ : Bob's nonce



## Otway-Rees

$K_A$   Encrypted with Alice-KDC secret key  
 $K_B$   Encrypted with Bob-KDC secret key  
 $K_{AB}$   Encrypted with Alice-Bob session key  
 Session key between Alice and Bob

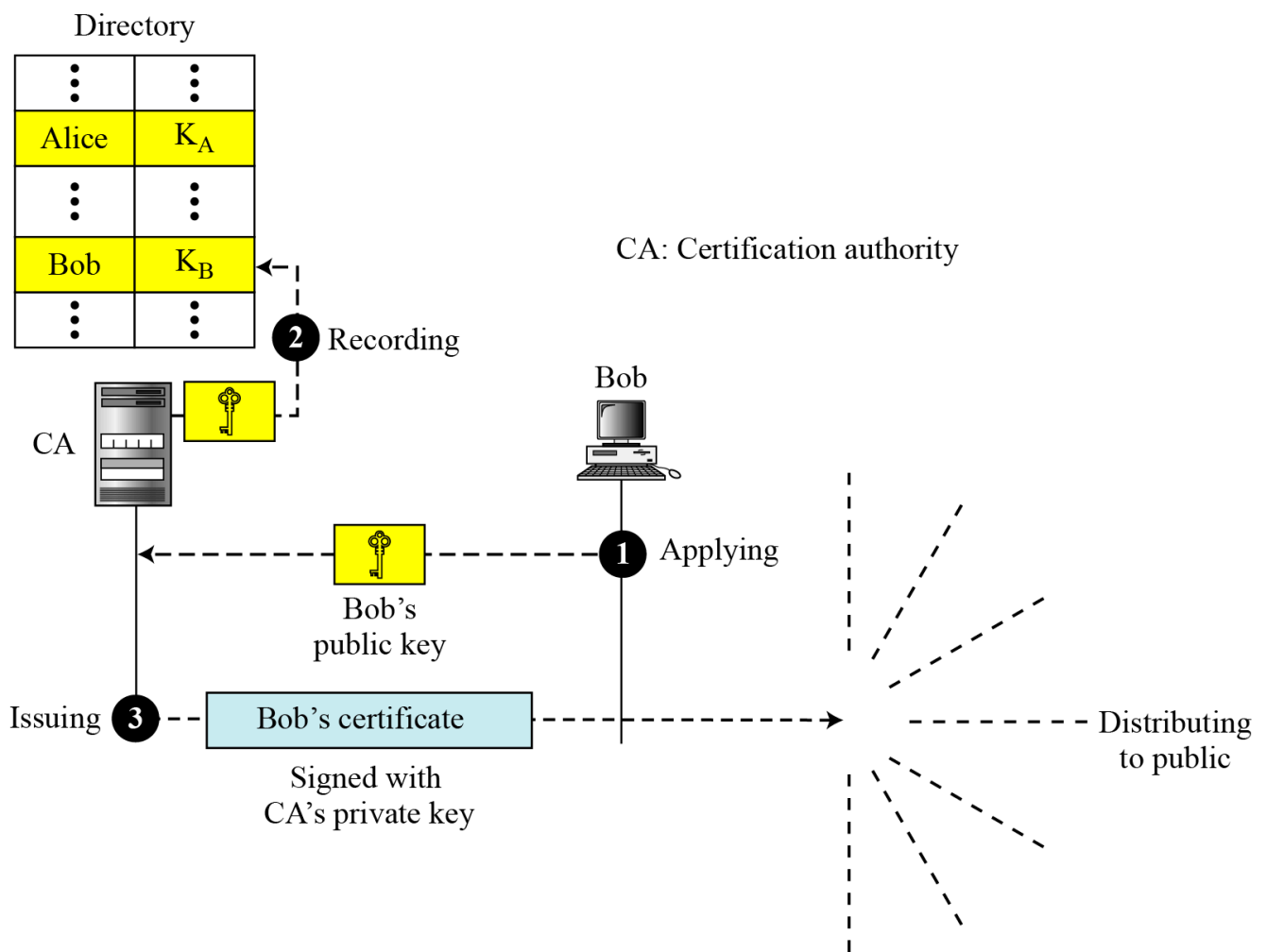
KDC: Key-distribution center  
 $R_A$ : Nonce from Alice to KDC  
 $R_B$ : Nonce from Bob to KDC  
 $R$ : Common nonce



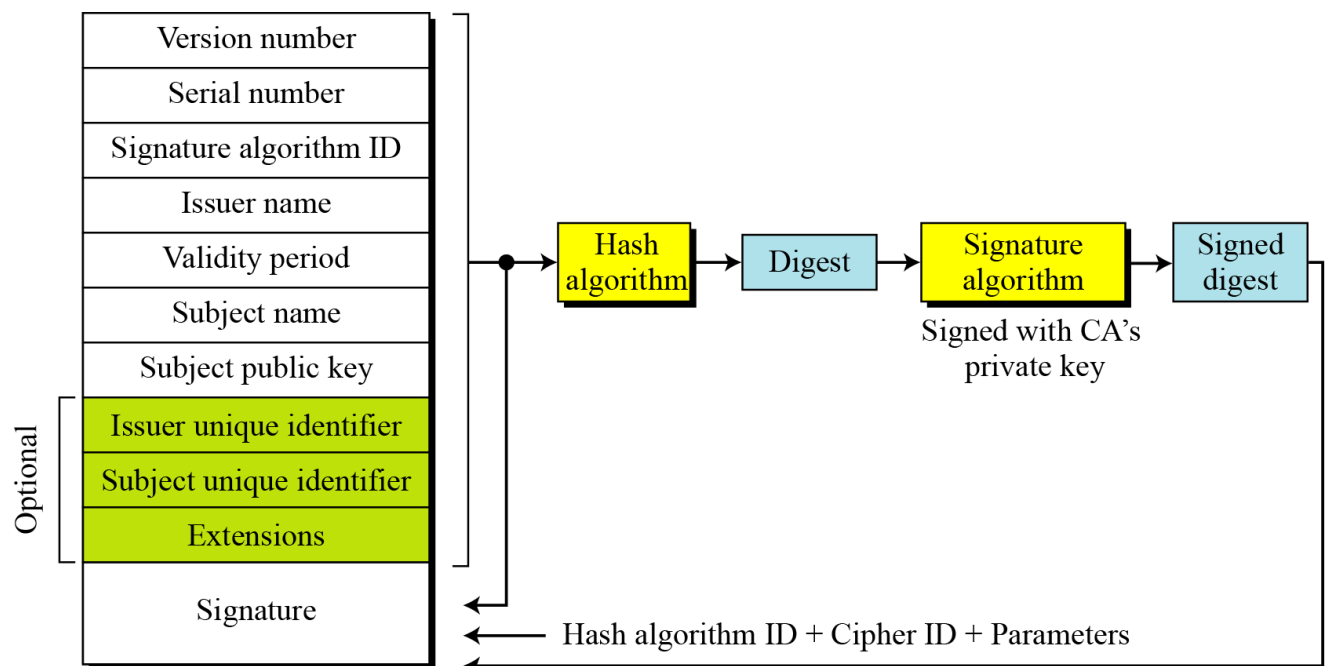
## Certificates

### CA (Certificate Authority)





## Certificate Format



- Version number
- Serial Number
- Signature Algorithm ID
- Issuer Name of CA

- Validity Period
- Subject Name
- Subject Public Key
- Issuer Unique Identifier
- Subject Unique Identifier
- Extensions
- Signature

## Certificate Renewal

CA issues a new certificate before old one expires after the period of validity

## Certificate Revocation

Format:

- Signature algorithm ID
- Issuer name
- This update date
- Next update date
- Revoked certificate list
- Signature

## Delta Revocation

More efficient revocation (Delta CRL)

## Kerberos

